

## Additional Locals

John Lahey is preparing to become a resident of Liberal.

Meade is just now having an acute attack of the railroad fever.

The plans for the new hospital are said to be progressing very nicely.

Our column of real estate transfers shows a remarkable activity in the market for town lots.

Try "Pickwick" brand canned goods. Sold at the New York Store. 3-31-4t

J. B. Spradling has some very attractive windows of men's clothes and shoes at the Palace Clothing Store.

H. P. Fluhart of Hooker helped this office through a rush of work last week. He is a good workman and a very pleasant fellow.

W. L. Brown, who has been painting for the Rash Sign Co., left for Denver, Saturday night, in response to a telegram saying his father was seriously ill there.

The Wiggins sub-irrigation people have decided to leave Garden City on account of lack of co-operation. If Liberal had a live commercial club, we might induce them to come here.

County Attorney C. R. Commons left Sunday night for Pittsburg. He will meet with the county attorneys in Topeka on Friday of this week, when John Dawson will explain a number of the laws passed by the last legislature.

John Kelly of Hugoton came in from Mulvane and spent Sunday here. He talked with a number of prominent Santa Fe men while away, and says the general supposition in Hutchinson is that the Santa Fe cutoff will be built very soon, from Dodge City to Colmar New, Mexico.

The rainbow dance last Friday night was quite a success.

Mr. R. G. Jacobs and family of Plains were visiting friends in town this week.

O. M. Clouse of Meade was in Liberal to spend Sunday with E. W. Williams and family.

Ellsaesser Woods & Henry have investments in Liberal town lots that will make you money.

Staples & Qualls have had the misfortune to lose 58 hogs in the last few weeks from cholera.

C. D. Gasaway is contemplating the erection of a new \$4,000 residence on his lots on North Sherman Ave.

Thirteen out of seventeen divorce cases on the Hutchinson docket are being brought by unhappy wives.

Mrs. J. A. Jarrett of the Superior school was in Saturday with her son Hiram who took a part of the county diploma examination at the court house.

Mrs. George Rollins, daughter and little granddaughter arrived Saturday from Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. Rollins is a sister-in-law of Mrs. W. P. McClure of this city.

Blanche Jennison and May Frame, two Seventh grade girls from the Superior school, were taking the examination for grades toward a county diploma at the court house Saturday.

The private cars of A. E. Sweet, Gen. Mgr. of the Rock Island, and J. B. Smalley, Gen. Supt., were attached to No. 1 Friday. Supt. H. Greenough of Dalhart accompanied the party.

Floyd Heaton who unloaded a car of household goods at Kismet last week, has gone back to Pratt to bring his horses out overland. He has bought a part of the Gurney ranch, where he will reside.

H. W. Magruder was in Hooker last week.

J. R. Blake and Dr. Risen of Hooker were in Liberal last week.

For quick sale list your farm or city property with Gardner & Shinkle.

Col. Wm. Scott and wife of Kansas City are visiting their daughter Mrs. L. C. Yocum.

"Pickwick" stands for the solid packed canned goods. Sold at the New York Store. 3-31-4t

F. A. McCoy returned the first of the week from a business trip to Wichita, Topeka, Meade and Lawrence.

You will be glad if you do and sorry if you don't buy a town lot in Liberal. Ellsaesser, Woods & Henry sell them on easy terms.

E. E. Scott, W. E. Carr and B. H. Kinkle of Council Grove were in Liberal the first of the week, dealing for land with Ellsaesser, Woods and Henry.

Probate Judge Randolph united in the holy bonds of matrimony at his residence, Sunday, Thos. C. Barker of Liberal, Kansas and Miss Lucy A. Brand of Council Grove.—Meade Globe.

The coming to the city of the Spanish Orchestra Monday was the cause of a little incident which shows how small the old world really is. Miss Mable Evans of this city was walking down the street Monday evening when one of the girls of the Spanish Orchestra who were out shopping hailed her and asked if she wasn't on the same steamer with her on an excursion trip out of Seattle, Wash. about two years ago. Miss Evans readily recognized her and remembered a conversation they had together, while on the boat. Miss Evans says that although at that time the girl was but sixteen years of age she was an accomplished performer upon the trap drum and violin.

Attorney C. R. Commons went to Kismet on business last Friday.

Town lots on the "easy payment" plan at the office of Ellsaesser, Woods & Henry.

The ordinance regarding chickens requires that all poultry be shut in after April First.

J. A. Cornelius of the Christian church preached at a school house out near the Scates ranch three nights last week.

A card from Jack Rheuby was received asking us to change the address of his paper to Monon, Colorado.

Dodge City has decided to help Spearville get the new Insane Hospital which is to be located in Western Kansas.

An unusually large acreage of barley, oats and speltz is being sown by the farmers who live northwest of town.

You can make more money by investing in town lots than you can by counterfeiting. Let us tell you about them. Phone 40.

Ellsaesser, Woods & Henry purchased blocks 1 and 10 in the Wheeler addition last week and will soon place the 96 lots on the market.

The Royal Neighbors held initiation at the Craig Hall last Thursday evening for Miss Bryant and Miss North. After the initiation a delicious luncheon was served.

W. R. Frierwood, manager of the George grocery, moved his family last week from the Stamper property to the new house which he has recently built in the Ben Harrison addition.

A crowded house applauded the selections of the Spanish Orchestra at the Opera House Monday. This was the closing number of the lecture course which has been very satisfactory to the patrons this season.

Felix Jones will move Saturday to the Rhodes property in the northwest part of the city.

Wanted—a job by a strong 16 year old boy, not afraid of work. Address G. care of DEMOCRAT

O. T. Wood left the first of the week for Kansas City. He shipped two cars of cattle and one car of hogs from this point.

C. C. Warner has severed his severed his connection with the First National Bank. He left for Englewood on business Monday night.

Miss Mattie Thompson, trained nurse arrived Saturday from Beatrice, Nebraska, where she has been visiting home folks for a number of weeks.

A. T. Steinel, editor of the Southwest Trail was in Liberal the first of the week gathering material for the May number which will be devoted to dry farming.

"In the spring the young man's fancies lightly turn to thoughts of love" Better buy a Liberal town lot of Ellsaesser, Woods & Henry and prepare to build a house.

Mrs. E. C. Millikan and her mother Mrs. Geo. S. Rolins stopped off over Sunday, enroute Murphysboro, Ill from Cal. and visited with Grandma Rolins of this city who is 93 years old.

T. B. Lawrence, the newly appointed missionary evangelist for the Pratt district of the Methodist church, arrived here with his family on Wednesday of last week. They have secured a house and will make Liberal their headquarters.

**For Sale.** 265 head of coming two-year-old steers; also a span of good 3-year-old mules. These can be seen at my farm six miles north of Liberal. C. A. BAKER. Rt. 2, Liberal, Kansas. 3-24-2t-pd.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will make your aprons and sun hats or bonnets. Some fancy work on hand. Phone No. 1214.

Thursday of last week, W. T. Ward, wife and wee son William came in from Wichita and took up their abode in the Methodist parsonage. Rev. Ward entered upon the pastorate here last Sunday. He has been for the past three years pastor of the College Hill M. E. Church of Wichita, which he himself organized and built up. The people of Liberal heartily welcome the Ward family to this community.

**Eggs for Hatching.** Thorough-bred Golden laced Wyandotte eggs at \$1.00 per setting. Phone Eureka Line. V. CAPPS, tf. Route 2, Tyrone, Okla.

**For Sale.** After April 1st, R. C. Red baby chicks, \$1.00 per doz. Eggs, 75c per 15. Mrs. Grace Erlwine, R. F. D. 4, Liberal, Kas. 3-17-4t-pd

**Notice** Commencing March 1st we will give one 16 x 20 enlarged crayon portrait, with every \$5.00 or more worth of goods sold at our store at one time. We sell wall paper, paint, pictures, frames and moldings. We do painting, paper hanging and decorating. Brewer & Sutton 2nd door west of Post Office.

**For Rent** Improved quarter section four miles from Liberal. Inquire of T. W. Hubbard.

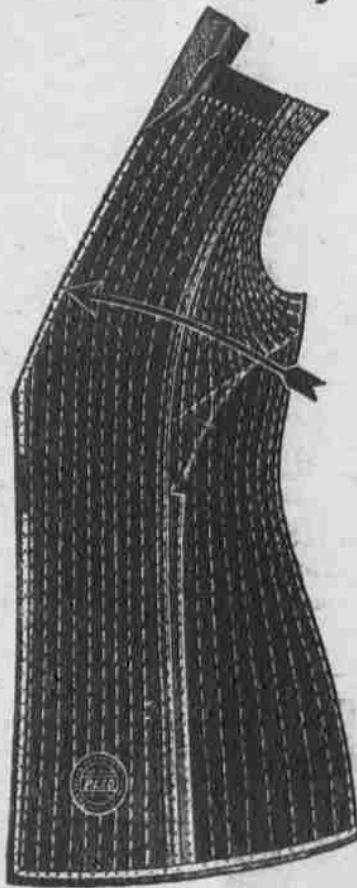
**Farmers, Attention!** You will miss the bulletins and publications issued by the Farmers' Institute Extension department if you do not hand your name and address together with the fee of twenty-five cents to Moore & Falls; T. S. Locke, Secy. or John L. Boles, Pres.

A new line of laces has just arrived at the 5, 10 and 15 cent store.

## Madam--Here's the Reason Why Your Coat Front Sags

Do you see that little whiteline at the arrow tip---that's the taping that should be put into a garment if you expect it to hold its shape.

Wool material, whether cut straight or on the bias, will stretch unless properly supported---the slightest stretching makes surplus material. This surplus will change the straight pretty lines of a lapel or a coat front into a series of puckers and curves, thus spoiling the entire fit and shape of your garment.



If your coat front sags or puckers---the man who made it skimped on the tape---he saved a few moments of time---a few inches of tape---and you are paying for it by having a coat that has lost its shape.

Why not wear a garment that will hold its shape---that is tailored and taped just as this picture shows---at every point where it could sag or pucker? You'll find that *Printzess* is that kind of a garment and they cost no more than the ordinary---but they are a whole lot more satisfactory.



**MILLINERY.** Our millinery department never gets old. It is ever a delightful place of attraction to women and girls who appreciate the best styles and low prices. So rapidly are the hats selling and new ones taking their places it makes every day like opening day. There are always new things to look at. Don't delay too long in placing your order if you want your hat made especially for you as we are getting further behind every day with our orders. Remember Easter is not far off.

**NECKWEAR.** We have just received the most beautiful assortment of mens and ladies neckwear that we have ever shown. Men's four-in hand in a large and beautiful assortment of colors in plain and fancy designs at 25 and 50 cents. Large assortment of ladies neckwear right from New York City embracing the new Fichus. Large showing of the newest things in lace and embroidery collars, jabots, etc., prices 25 and 50 cents. These are values you would expect to buy at 35c to 75c.

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